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For in-depth search of available information, call the following; for surveys and advisory services, call 1-416-965-3792, for detailed information on demographic trends and Provincial economic accounts, call Social and Economic Data at 1-416-965-2217.

Depending on the nature of the services requested, a cost recovery charge may be involved in which case the user will be advised before work is begun.

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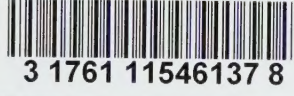
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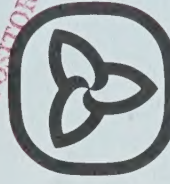
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Staff will help you in identifying your statistical needs and in obtaining required data or services.

Statistical Services are available on a 'Fee for Service Basis', as resources permit.

Instructions on "how to obtain data or services" from C.S.S. are given in the brochure.

For further information, please contact the Client Services and Marketing Unit.

Statistical Surveys,

Standards and Methodology

Statistical Advisory Services for Project Development and Planning

These services include advice on:

- survey design and scheduling
- sampling by probability methods
- execution of field work
- coding, editing and processing
- application of statistical methodology
- data analysis, interpretation and presentation.

Ad Hoc Surveys

- carrying out all or any aspect of personal interview or mail surveys (designing, field work, collection, follow-up, coding, editing, weighting, processing, analysis, presentation).

Development of Statistics from Administrative Records

- assisting with methodology, standardization needs, editing, coding and tabulation.

Standards

- assisting with the selection, adoption and utilization of standard classification systems for data files
- preparation of ad hoc classification systems for special circumstances
- consultation on statistical standardization needs to ensure all provincial requirements are reflected in standard classification systems under development or revision by government or other bodies.

Social and Economic Data

Demographic Data

- current estimates and projections of population and other demographic trends for Ontario, the counties and major municipalities
- regular release of current data in population, vital statistics and migration for Ontario
- specialized population simulations, for which historical data are available or can be obtained through the Internal Migration Model, accurate information on the current and changing patterns of population movements within the Province
- sub-provincial trend information on fertility, mortality and migration.

Social and Economic Data

- studies on the effects of alternative population scenarios on economic and social factors
- projections of specific population groups such as prospective labour force by sub-provincial area
- preparation of analytical and interpretive reports in the fields of demographic, economic and social trends.

Economic Accounts

- detailed provincial economic accounts data on an annual and quarterly basis
- current estimates of Gross Provincial Expenditures and Gross Provincial Product on a quarterly basis.

Data Management

Information Services

- a mechanism whereby requests for information can be entered and satisfied either by telephone or in writing
- a reference service designed to guide and re-direct users to possible sources of information not resident in C.S.S.

Data Storage, Manipulation and Retrieval Capability

Information coverage of subject matter areas such as:

- Manufacturing
- Mining
- Forestry
- Energy
- Prices
- Consumer Finance
- Population Characteristics
- Population Projection
- National Income and Expenditure
- G.P.P. and G.N.P.
- Provincial Accounts Components

Computer Terminal Access to Major Data Banks

- Canadian Socio-Economic Information Management System (CANSIM)
- A Network of Social Security Information Resources (ANNSIR)